

Banquet and Reception Tendered Ex-Service Men

Fine, splendid such are the comments upon the reception and banquet tendered the Ex-service Men and their friends at the R. R. Y. M. C. A. Wednesday evening by the Business Men's Association, the Red Cross and the R. R. Y. M. C. A.

The banquet was one of the finest and reflects great credit upon the ladies committee who had it in charge. The waiters, the cream of Island Pond young ladies, dressed in Red Cross Caps and aprons added a touch of beauty and grace much appreciated by the men.

After silent prayer led by Rev. Father Therien the men did full justice to the abundant and well served food, some different as Sergeant Oleson remarked from Bully beef and hard tack.

When all had eaten to the limit Mr David A Elliott, President of the Business Men's Association acting as toastmaster, welcomed the boys in a few well chosen and witty remarks, assuring them pleasure it gave to the citizens of Island Pond as represented by the Business Men Association the Red Cross and R. R. Y. M. C. A. to have them with them on that occasion, and that they were pleased to do them honor in this inadequate way, and express to them their high appreciation of the great service rendered by the Ex-service men to the country and the world as members of the American Expeditionary Forces on the battlefield of the Old world. At the close of remarks Mr Elliott called upon Sergeant Oleson to speak for the boys and "Billy" responded nobly and eloquently and the boys were proud of him.

Following Sergeant Oleson Rev. H. Montgomery Simpson, ably accompanied by Mrs Emma Rawson, delighted everybody by an excellently well rendered solo, "The Americans have Come" and received a hearty and well deserved encore.

Mr. Elliott then called upon Captain James Clarke of Montreal as the speaker of the evening.

Capt. Clarke's address was well worthy of the occasion strong dignified, with eloquent one of the best ever heard in Island Pond. It was a pleasure and an inspiration to hear him. Following Capt. Clarke's address Rev. M. Simpson sang another solo "Smiles."

Claude S. Fortes then led in an half hour social songs many old favorites being called for and sang, such as "Tenting to Night" which was sang by Rev. M. Simpson and "Old Black Joe" sung by Mr Foster the audience joining heartily in the choruses.

At the close of the banquet and at the Y. M. C. A. adjournment was had to the Opera House where dancing was indulged in until the wee sma hours.

The whole affair was success Great praise for the event is due to who had part in it especially to Mr. Merritt the genial secretary of the Y. M. C. A. who initiated the affair. Last but not least was the orchestra led by Geo. L. Dyer that added much interest to the occasion.

The guests at the banquet are as follows: among them being the following grand army veterans for whom a special table was served.

M L Dyer
E F Johnson
H E Randall
Mrs H E Randall
H B Farmer,
Ira Damon

D A Elliott—Toastmaster
Capt. James Clarke—Speaker
Rev. Robert Lawton
Rev. Joseph Therien
Rev. Montgomery Simpson
A W Bosworth
A E Parlin.
Serg. Harry L Danforth
Arthur A Danforth
Bernard A Petrie
E W Donnelly
Mrs F E Russell

LIVED UP TO HER MOTTO

Indianapolis Woman Had Made a Rule and Intended to Let Nothing Stand in the Way.

She is one of Indianapolis' most successful business women—naturally, too, one of its best-natured ones. And her three small nephews idealize her quite as much as do her business associates. One afternoon she had promised them a party out in the country and a wiener and marshmallow toast by the fireplace of their old country home. But for two days it rained and on that afternoon it was raining, too. The three youngsters piled into her office, their faces all full of disappointment. But she smiled at them. "Get your waterproofs," she commanded. "Why, are we going?" they asked in amazement.

"Why, of course," she mimicked their tone. "My car can get over worse roads than that."

They rushed away after their coats and the woman next her began to protest against her making this trip. "It's something that isn't necessary," she began.

"But it is something that is necessary," the other interrupted. "It's the recreation I'd planned and my recreation is as necessary as my work. It keeps up my morale. You know that a rain like this couldn't keep me away from my work—neither will I let it keep me away from my play. That's the motto I've adopted for life, and it's a very efficient one, too."—Indianapolis News.

Martin Rennell
E C Foss
Geo Perkins
Geo L Dyer
Mrs Martin Rennell
Damile O'Dowd
W L Daly
Emile Gonlette
Mrs R G Harris
R G Harris
H Livsey
M Campbell
W Olson
C E Foss
Mrs C E Foss
S Gordon
Lawrence Maroney
Marion Maroney
Mrs Wilder
Eli M Rivard
Alba Scott
W M Lefebvre
Marguerite Maroney
Ellis R Kittridge
Dorris S Powell
Raymond V Christie
Gladys M Banner
Roy Young
Perley Patterson
Michael J Carbonneau
Mrs Thos Seymour
Arthur J Seymour
Mrs John Murphy
John H Murphy
A Jennie Bishop
Chas E Bishop
Alpha N Amey
Curtis H Mosher
Levi O Castonguay
R O Sadler
H M Farr
P Lacroix
O Lacroix
Mrs Vergenie Castontuay
Joseph Castonguay
Mrs D J Bourbeau
Gerald W Farr
Mrs Gerald W Farr
Mrs W Flood
W Flood
James T Barnes
Irene Farrell
Isador N Stern
Gerald R Petrie
Norman D Sampson
Walter E St. Pierre
Chas P Goulette
Evangeline C Turgeon
ReMona Letourneau
Oswold Paradis
Geo W Coe
Mrs Emma Rawson
Mrs A E Merritt
A E Merritt
C E Johnson
C S Foster
Ronald Moffett
Richard Morrisette
G Gillis
Sam Howard

Red Cross Ladies
Mrs Lena M Johnson
Mrs Maude E Carr
Mrs Edna M Johnson
Mrs N E Dyer
Mrs Ellen Bessette
Mrs Ila Perry
Mrs Belle Barnes
Mrs Nellie Johnson
Mrs Martha Boyce
Emile Lacroix
Alice Maroney

Savings Resolutions

Because the successful solution of of the economic and financial problem of the coming year demands the concentrated effort of every American citizen, the Savings Division of the Treasury Department urged today that each adopt and live up to an individual financial creed and course of conduct.

To obtain the views of the various parts of the country on this matter, the Savings Directors of the twelve Federal Reserve Districts were asked to draw up such a creed and resolution.

The following is complete summary of the suggestions:

"I believe, in the United States of America.

"My opportunity and hope depend upon the future.

"I believe that her stability and progress rest upon the industry and thrift of her people.

"Therefore, I will work hard and live simple.

"I will spend less than I earn.

"I will use my earnings with care. I will save consistently.

"I will invest thoughtfully.

To increase the financial strength of my country and myself I will buy Government Securities.

"I will hold above all other obligations my country thus incurs.

"I will do these things to insure the greatness of America's future.

"Only the most determined efforts toward thrift, economy, and saving and simple living," said William Mather Lewis, Director of the Savings Division, "will bring about a reduction in the High Cost of Living, the Stabilization of national industry and commerce, and the continuation of prosperous conditions."

Seeing Herself.

"Hurry, wife. We'll miss the elevator."

"Hurry, eh? I think I see myself."

"In that case, you'll have to stop and make a long inspection."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Safer.

At an Indiana high school the other day the athletic society was putting season tickets for ball games on sale. One of the most popular boys in the senior class came up to the desk at which the tickets were being sold, bought two, had his name inserted in the blank on one of the tickets and then reached for the tickets.

"But you haven't told us whose name to write on the other ticket," protested the ticket seller, "and the rules of the association require that all ticket purchasers have their names on their tickets."

Now, the senior had planned to pass the favor of his company along to several girls. "Well," he drawled, "if you have to write something in that blank, just write anonymous."

Hunt will be Tried for Murder

G. E. Hunt of West Charleston, who accidentally shot Alexander McKee, a Grand Trunk conductor, while in the woods near Wenlock hunting deer will be brought before a special grand jury for indictment for murder. States Attorney Powell of Island Pond evidently thinks he has grounds for bringing the case before the grand jury. Charles Whitehill of Charleston was with Hunt at the time of the shooting and says it was wholly accidental. McKee's home was in Island Pond. Walter F. Cleary of Newport is counsel for the defense.

Vermont will Aid Near East Sufferers

A few days before Christmas automobile owners received an appeal from Roland E. Stevens, Chairman of Near East Relief, to contribute 10 per cent in money of the power of their respective automobiles.

It will be recalled that about a year ago Vermont stood at the top notch position in its contributions to aid the suffering people of the countries of Near East—countries war wrecked and whose people were without clothing and without food. Vermont contributed at that time in excess of \$70,000.

Today, again acting as State Chairman of the Near East Relief, Mr. Stevens again appeals to the generosity of Vermonters to contribute to a National fund being raised in this country to lend further aid to these people in distress. He conceived the novel idea of appealing to automobile owners of the State, asking them to make their contribution as representing 10 per cent of the horse power of their cars.

The responses to this letter of appeal have not been as great as was anticipated and for this reason Mr. Stevens again makes an appeal thru the columns of this newspaper to Vermonters to live up to the reputation they have so generously earned by their liberal contribution to worthy causes.

While the appeal is made direct to automobile owners, it should not deter in the least persons not owning automobiles from making contributions to this most deserving enterprise.

Readers of this paper are asked to read the display advertisement appearing in this issue which depicts the conditions existing among the people of those far away countries that suffered so terribly because of the ravages of war and for which they were not in the least responsible. Vermont can do much as it did do a year ago without disturbing the financial status of any citizen, and it is hoped that the people of the State will be as generous this new year just beginning as they were twelve months ago.

Automobile owners who have not contributed to the cause up to the time are requested to look up this letter sent them by Mr. Stevens, to read it with care and if they will do this, a contribution such as is suggested, or one showing greater liberality, is sure to be made. In making contribution readers of this paper should use the coupon attached to the advertisement and it is further suggested that the contribution be made on as early a date as possible.

NOTICE

"Save a Mile
and Save
a Life."

See announcement
on page... 8... by
Roland E. Stevens,
Chairman

Cleaning Rusted Tools.

Elbow grease is usually the best thing to use when cleaning rust from steel, but the following manner has also been suggested: Fasten the steel tightly to a piece of zinc by means of wire and place it in a jar containing water to which sulphuric acid has been added. Leave it there until the rust has disappeared. If the article is very rusty add a little more acid from time to time. The process by which the rust is removed is electrical. The steel being in contact with the zinc short-circuited battery cells are formed, and the rust is reduced to iron again by electro-chemical action. The steel will become darkened by the process, but will regain its brightness if rubbed with sweet oil or a mixture of petrolatum and kerosene.



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